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Dr. Carl N. Everstine, Director Department of Legislative Reference 90 State Circle Annapolis, Maryland 21401

Dear Dr. Everstine:

This letter is in response to an inquiry from Celia Alvanos of your staff. Celia requested that we furnish information concerning special elections held in 1977.

Please be advised that in accordance with the provisions of Section 1A of Article 11-A of the State Constitution both Charles and Washington Counties held elections dealing with the charter form of government. Both elections were held on November 8, 1977, with the results being as follows:

	<u>Charles County</u>	Washington County
FCR ADCFTION	1,445	3,363
AGAINST ADOPTION	4,752	5,582

To the best of $\boldsymbol{m}\boldsymbol{y}$ knowledge no other special elections were held.

Should you need any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely, Carol S. Evans Management Associate